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**GO SERV “SPOTLIGHT”
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PROGRAM**

Anaheim Resort Ambassador Program Recognized For Service To Their Community

SACRAMENTO - The Governor’s Office on Service and Volunteerism (GO SERV) is featuring the Anaheim Resort Ambassador Program in this week’s *Spotlight*. The Ambassador Program has made Anaheim one of the safest resort districts in the United States.

“The Spotlight page honors those people who have made a commitment to improving their community,” Executive Director of GO SERV, Chuck Supple said. “The Anaheim Resort Ambassador Program is a shining example of that commitment.”

The Program has a team of 33 volunteers, ranging from college students to retirees. Each of the volunteers goes through a two-week training on how to respond to tourist needs. The volunteers work four-hour shifts and walk their beat in pairs with police issued cell phones. The volunteers carry a book with responses to the most common tourist needs. The volunteers also act as liaisons between police and area businesses. Since the inception of the Program, the volunteers have served tourists from all over the world.

The GO SERV *Spotlight* is a weekly recognition program, honoring community service organizations or individuals involved in community service. To view the full *Spotlight* story, please visit the GO SERV Web site at www.goserv.ca.gov.

Spotlight nomination forms, as well as other volunteer opportunities, are also available on GO SERV’s Web site.

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